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IN RE APPLICATION OF : :

Hisashi TAKAHASHI, ET AL : EXAMINER : SEAMAN, D.M.M.

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FOR: 8-CYANOQUINOLONECARBOXYLIC ACID DERIVATIVE

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

On 15 December 2009, Applicants' representative agreed to amend claim 1 to delete ", or a hydrate of the compound or the salt"; to amend claims 2-18 and 30 to change "a salt thereof, or a hydrate of the compound or the salt" to "or a salt thereof"; and to amend claim 23 to change "an infectious disease" to "a bacterial infection." On February 22, 2010, the Examiner agreed to further amend claim 1 to recite: "...and n denotes an integer of 1 to 3, or a salt thereof."

Respectfully submitted,

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